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KILLED ON THE RAIL.

Two Erie Employes Fatally Hurt

SWITCHMAN KILLED IN PORT JERVIS

John Dederich Caught Between Bumpers and His Life Crushed Out—An Italian Track Hand Killed at Sloatsburgh.

John Dederich an Erie switchman residing at Port Jervis, was killed by the cars Sunday night He was working with a gang in the Germantown yard, and stepped ahead of a car which was to be coupled to another He misjudged the speed of the train and his body was caught between the bumpers and badly mangled He was still breathing when the other trainmen reached him, but was unconscious The men hurriedly caused his removal to the hospital, but he died soon after reaching there about 8 10 o'clock

Dederich was a careful employe and his death is a blow to others beside the bereaved wife and children

This is the first fatal accident that has occurred in the Port Jervis yard in some time

Saturday afternoon, Erie train 38 Engineer Watts, struck and killed an Italian at Sloatsburgh The man was thrown twenty feet and his neck was broken An inquest was held at Sloatsburgh, at 5 o'clock to-day

AN INCENDIARY'S WORK.

Twenty-four Cows Burned to Death—Three Barns Burned in a Year.

The large barn of Peter Smith in Branchville N J, was destroyed by fire Friday evening Twenty four cows and two horses perished in the flames A large quantity of hay and many farming implements were also destroyed Nothing was saved except two cows and a yearling heifer The loss is $4 000 and insurance but $2 000 in the Sussex Mutual

The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin This is the third barn of Mr Smith's that has been burned within a year

"WHAT HAPPENED TO JONES"

A New York Success Secured for the Casino April 19.

The Casino management has secured at a very large guarantee the greatest attraction that has been played in Middletown in years What Happened to Jones a comedy which was played all last season in New York and is now meeting with great success in London will appear on Wednesday April 19 George H Broadhurst the author will be here with the company

Rev. Geo. B Crawford's Successful Pastorate.

The *Michigan Presbyterian*, published in Detroit, issued lately a supplement with a beautifully engraved group of the likenesses of the Presbyterian Alliance of Detroit and cuts of the churches of the covenant with an engraving of Rev Geo B Crawford pastor next to it who has a number of relatives and friends in this vicinity The paper also gives a history of the church for the last year showing the membership to be 215 of which twenty four have been received since Mr Crawford took charge of the church last September fourteen by profession and ten by letter

Pawn Broker Cohen in Trouble

David Cohen who conducted a pawn brokerage shop in the Adams building North street for a time and who went from here to Newburgh was indicted by last week s Grand Jury on the charge of conducting a pawn broker s establishment without a license He was arrested Friday and bailed but was afterwards surrendered by his bondsman Cohen, since he has been in Newburgh has been fined $25 for doing business without a license

A Migration to Michigan Territory.

The Monticello *Watchman* publishes every week an interesting compilation from its files of noteworthy happenings in bygone years Among other things noted this week is the following from the files for 1839

We learn from the Goshen *Republican* that about ninety families in Orange county many of them wealthy are preparing to leave this spring for the Michigan Territory there to settle for life

A Fruitless Investigation.

The coroner s inquest to determine the cause of the Fishbein fire, in Port Jervis was concluded Friday evening The jury rendered a verdict that the fire originated from some unknown cause and that there was not sufficient evidence to accuse any one of causing it

Horse Stolen at Walden.

The police were notified Sunday that a horse had been taken from R L Terry s sheds at Walden Saturday night about 11 o'clock The horse was a bay with legs clipped and had a bunch on the left fore leg below the knee A top side bar buggy was also taken

City Schools Re-opened.

The public schools re opened to day after the Easter vacation of a week As is always the case at the opening of the spring time many children who are just beginning school life showed up in the primary rooms

Flat Net Fishing in the Wallkill.

There were at least fifty flat nets in the Wallkill at Phillipsburgh, Saturday afternoon and night Only a few fish were caught, however The water is too cold and the fish are not moving

St. Joseph's Society at Church.

St Joseph s Catholic Benevolent Union attended St Joseph s Church Sunday morning, at 9 o clock, and received communion There were sixty-five in the line

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

—Miss Bessie Beers entertained a party of friends at her home on Highland avenue, Saturday evening Among the guests were Miss Marjorie Williams, of Rome who is the guest of Miss Florence Decker, and Talcott O Vanamee of Newburgh

OBITUARY.

Harvey Everett, M. D.

Dr H Everett, a lifelong and aged citizen of this place, died at his home on Orchard street, Saturday afternoon, April 8th, at the advanced age of eighty seven years The doctor practiced medicine and surgery here from August 1834, to September 1884 at which latter period his health failing, he retired from active business.

A daughter Genevieve E Denton, wife of Frank B Denton, survives him, also one grandson, Frank Retsema Denton

The above was written some time ago by Dr Everett, as the mention which he wished the newspapers to make of his death Dr Everett was, however, for so many years a prominent factor in Middletown s growth and development and was so long an integral part of its social business and professional life that the ARGUS feels that a few words should be added in recognition of his sterling worth and many virtues As a physician he merited and enjoyed to the fullest degree the confidence of his patients He was a family physician in the best and fullest sense of the term, and so long as he continued in practice he kept pace with the progress of his profession He was a good citizen, loyal to Middletown and its interests and fulfilling all the duties and obligations of citizenship He wronged no man and his unostentatious benefactions made life easier better and brighter for many on whom Fortune refused to smile His home was the golden milestone about which his chiefest interest centered and it was in his home that the real gentleness and tenderness of his nature was revealed He held a very warm place in the affections and esteem of the generation of which he was a part and it may with perfect truth be said of him that the world is better for his having lived in it

OBITUARY NOTES.

—George Hamilton, a native of Sussex county N J died at Hampton Va recently He was born at Hamburg July 4 1814 and was a brother of the late Robert Hamilton of Newton N J He is survived by his wife and six children one of whom is Sarah Hamilton of Port Jervis

MOVED WITH DEAD BODY

How an Undertaker Was Done Out of a Coffin.

A Newark undertaker is the victim of a new kind of sharp practice John Verney colored died and his widow arranged with the undertaker for a good coffin and an unostentatious funeral The body was prepared for burial and placed in a coffin and on the day appointed for the funeral the undertaker went to the house and found it vacant Inquiry in the neighborhood revealed the fact that the dead man coffin and furniture had been loaded into a van and taken no one knew where

WIFE CHILD, FURNITURE GONE

Erie Brakeman s Third Appearance in the Role of Deserted Husband.

H C Drover an Erie brakeman whose home is in Paterson was summoned to Newburgh last week as a witness in a case before the Supreme Court He was retained there until Friday and when he reached Paterson that evening he found his house bare of furniture and his wife and three year old child missing Later he located his wife with her sister but does not know what she has done with their furniture

Drover says that this is the third time his wife has left him without cause

A LIVELY RUNAWAY

What Happened After a Horse Had Started for Its Barn.

Andrew Brown s horse ran away Saturday afternoon It started from West Main street at Mrs W T Hula s turned into Highland avenue and fell on Mrs Woodward s lawn It regained its feet and ran to Franklin street leaving the wagon near the corner Then the excited animal ran through Franklin street to Linden avenue and thence to its barn A cut on the knee and broken reach and shaft of the wagon were the only damage

Funeral of Mrs. Lydia B. Wright.

The funeral of Mrs Lydia P Wright was held at 1 30 to-day at her late home No 6 Broad street Rev Dr Wilson coming from the conference at Newburgh to officiate Mrs Fred Moule whose sweet voice comforted the last hours of the deceased sang two selections Asleep in Jesus and Nearer My God to Thee Burial was in Phillipsburgh four porters furnished by the funeral director carrying the casket The funeral was largely attended friends being present from New York Brooklyn, Port Jervis and Goshen

Pride of Kildare, To-morrow Night.

The Brooklyn *Daily Union* says of The Pride of Kildare A return of the old and familiar type of Irish play was heartily endorsed by a large audience at the Park Theatre So far as accessories are concerned it is distinctly praiseworthy and the company was above the average The play was presented by a clever company of sixteen people and the week's engagement will prove a great financial as well as an artistic success'

Copies of the City Charter For Sale.

A limited number of copies of Middletown s city charter neatly printed and thoroughly indexed and well bound in heavy paper covers, are offered for sale at the ARGUS business office Price fifty cents each First come, first served If you want a copy get it at once

Extensive Improvements.

D C McMonagle is making very extensive improvements to his house at the corner of Washington street and East avenue A hip roof with dormer windows is being put on, thus practically adding another story and a wide veranda is to be added

Will Locate Here.

Edward Giles brother of Job Giles arrived in this city from Wiltshire, England Saturday night He was in this city for one day about four months ago, and having taken a fancy to the place decided to come here and locate

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THE SIDEPATH LAW

Ulster County Wheelmen Acting Under It.

COMMISSIONERS TO BE APPOINTED.

Why Should Not Orange County Wheelmen Move in This Matter? Road Improvement Likely to Be Slow—Paths Popular Elsewhere.

In Ulster county a petition has been signed by many bicyclists, asking for the appointment of sidepath commissioners, as provided for in the law passed by the legislature, a few weeks ago The law vests the appointing power in the county judge and he is expected to name the commissioners as soon as the petition is formally presented to him

It seems strange that no move has been made by Orange county wheelmen to take advantage of the provisions of this sidepath law If they are waiting for the Road Improvement Society to develop enough public sentiment in favor of road improvement to work a regeneration and a reconstruction of the county s highways they will have to wait a very long time Road improvement may come but all the wheels now upon the earth and all the wheelmen and wheelwomen who ride them will be beyond repair before any great part of Orange county s highways is put in first class condition

If the wheelmen of Middletown and Goshen would get together and chip in a dollar each a good start could be made in building a sidepath between the two places The law authorizes the collection of license fees from all bicyclists who use sidepaths built in accordance with the provisions of this law the money thus obtained to go into a fund for the maintenance and extension of the system

Sidepaths can be built at comparatively small cost They do not become dusty like the traveled highways and wherever they have been built have proved more than popular It rests with the wheelmen themselves to say whether Orange county shall have a system of paths such as the wheelmen of other counties have built

A Bulldog Fight.

Two bulldogs engaged in a fight on South street Sunday afternoon They hung on to each other with true bulldog grit and all attempts to separate them were of no avail Finally a man took a heavy pick handle and knocked one of the dogs senseless Then it let go and the other dog, thinking apparently that it had killed its antagonist escaped a similar fate by loosening its grip

A Child s Funeral.

The funeral of little Louise Carson Crane was held at 4 30 this afternoon at the home of the bereaved parents, No 43 East avenue Rev Dr Robinson officiated Miss Bertholf sang a selection

Preached in Poughkeepsie.

Rev Dr F I Wilson, of St Paul s Church preached Sunday evening in the Washington Street M E Church of Poughkeepsie of which he was formerly pastor

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	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	160¾	157⅞
Tobacco	[illegible]	219⅝
Chicago Gas	119⅜	119⅞
Nat Lead	34⅞	34½
General Electric	118	114½
U S L pref	73¾	71½
Tenn Coal and Iron	56⅞	55⅝
A T & S F	[illegible]	20⅝
C B & Q	142	140⅝
C M & St P	[illegible]	126
R I	116⅛	115¾
D L & W	—	—
C of N J	118¼	118½
Erie		—
D and H	117¾	117½
O & W	27	26⅝
Federal Steel	60½	60⅝
P & R	—	2¾
Do 1st pref	65	64½
N W		160
Kansas and Texas		—
Do Pref	39⅝	40½
N Y C	98	139⅝
M P	48⅜	48⅝
Texas	[illegible]	22⅝
U P	46⅝	46½
W Union	93½	93½
L & N	64½	64¼
Manhattan	119⅞	116
P M	49⅝	[illegible]
Wabash pref	[illegible]	[illegible]
N Pacific pref	78⅝	78⅝
Metropolitan Traction	[illegible]	248
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	119	[illegible]
Southern pref	50⅛	50½
CHICAGO MARKET		
May Wheat	71	71¼
May Corn	34½	34½
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SOUTHERN RACE PROBLEM

Professor Washington Counsels Less Opposition to the Whites.

TUSKEGEE Ala, April 10—Professor Booker T Washington, answering the request of a prominent colored man in North Carolina as to what should be done to allay the present conflict between the races says

'I have been asking myself lately some rather serious questions and I want to put one or two of them to you. Is there any reason why the negroes in the south should continue to oppose the southern white man and his politics? Is this not the source of nearly all our troubles? Unconsciously we seem to have gotten the idea into our blood and bones that we are only acting in a manly way when we oppose southern white men with our votes

In some way, by some method we must bring the race to the point where it will cease to feel that the only way for it to succeed is to oppose everything suggested or put forth by the southern white men

'This I consider one of our real problems I believe that there are thousands of white Democrats in North Carolina who are 50 per cent better friends to the negro than Governor Russell, and I see no necessity in continuing to follow Governor Russell who has no power to protect or if he has the power does not exercise it rather than those other white men who can protect us if we cease to continually and forever oppose them'

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The Macedonian insurrection is increasing

A reduction of Pullman sleeping car rates is announced

Employees of the car shops at Olean N Y have struck

Chile has invited proposals for the building of new railroads

General Shafter arrived in Washington to testify before the beef court

Peter Hegelman won the 24 hour foot race in New York covering 120 miles

The Churchill House one of the finest hotels in Michigan was burned at Alpena

Moses W Dodd founder of the publishing house of Dodd Mead & Co is dead at 86

An immense vein of gold and copper bearing ore has been discovered in North Carolina

Two fine Sevres vases have been presented to President McKinley by the president of France

The antitrust law in Arkansas has caused accident insurance companies to suspend business in that state

The funeral of the six members of the Andrews and St John families who lost their lives in Friday morning s fire was held in New York city

The citizens of Albany have presented a sword to Commander Delehanty of the Suwanee now governor of Sailors Snug Harbor Staten Island

Cadets and Town Boys Fight.

WEST POINT N Y April 10 – A fierce battle occurred at Highland Falls at a late hour Saturday night between candidates for admission to West Point as cadets on the one side and boys of the village on the other. The candidates are attending the preparatory schools at Highland Falls prior to being examined at West Point next June for admission to the academy There were about 20 of them in the fight, but they were outnumbered three to one by the boys of the town The trouble began with a hand to hand encounter and the crowd soon increased to such an extent that stone throwing took the place of fists Several of the candidates were more or less injured but the most seriously hurt was U S Grant Jr appointed at large by the president who was assisted to his quarters at Cranston s hotel Many of the town boys were also badly used up

A Reckless Shooter

MEMPHIS Tenn April 10 As a result of a shooting affray that occurred just as the last race was being run at Montgomery park Saturday afternoon, Ed Ryan a well known local character is thought to be mortally wounded Charles E Clark a conductor employed by the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railroad is in a similar condition and Patrick Gleason a South Memphis grocer is shot through the foot Mike Shanley engineer in the employ of the Artesian Water company is the man responsible for the shooting Clark and Gleason are innocent victims of Shanley s reckless bullets

Riot In Chicago.

CHICAGO April 10 A riot in which three men were seriously injured and a dozen others bruised by flying stones and pieces of iron occurred yesterday between about 30 structural iron workers Revolvers knives and clubs were freely used The fight occurred at 18 and 20 Evanston avenue where a big warehouse is in course of construction All the men engaged are union workmen.

Two Drowned In Oregon.

ROSEBURG Or April 10—State Fish Commissioner H D McGuire and State Senator A W Reed of Douglas county were drowned Saturday in the Umpqua river

Flood In Montana.

CHICAGO April 10—A Record special from Glendive Mon says An ice gorge in the Yellowstone river at this point caused that stream to overflow last night drowning four persons Eight more are missing Three spans of the steel bridge are washed out causing a loss of $25 000 The Northern Pacific tracks are inundated and possibly washed away for some distance and the loss of live stock by drowning will involve a large sum

Fierce Chicago Rats.

CHICAGO April 10 An army of sewer rats fierce and desperate attacked Frank Morgan a lodger in the South Chicago Avenue police station and lacerated him terribly before he could be rescued Morgan screamed with terror and pain His cries were heard in the police headquarters above and several policemen rushed down stairs They found Morgan half unconscious with the big, gray rodents clinging to all parts of his body Nearly a dozen of them were killed by the policemen

Fire in a Newburgh Hotel.

Fire broke out in Goldstein & Simmons' Keystone Hotel, on Colden street Newburgh, at 3 o'clock, this morning All the occupants of the building escaped though most of them had to make very hurried exits By hard work the firemen confined the flames to the hotel building which was however, practically destroyed

O. and W.'s Spring Excursion.

About 200 people, of whom sixty were Middletowners, patronized the O. and W.'s spring excursion, this morning This afternoon's trains have a large number of excursionists aboard from points up the road

Samoan Commissioner Chosen.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON, D C, April 10—The president has selected Bartlett Tripp, of South Dakota, formerly a Minister to Austria as the United States representative on the Samoan Commission.

SANTA CRUZ TAKEN.

Captured by Gen. Lawton With Small Loss.

MORE TROOPS NEEDED IN THE ISLANDS

Not Enough Soldiers to Conquer and Hold Luzon—Discontent of the Volunteers—Might Be Well to Buy Off Aguinaldo and His Followers.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

MANILA April 10, 6 50 p m—Gen Lawton has captured Santa Cruz at the extreme end of the Lake He drove the rebels, who were commanded by a Chinaman named Pao Was, into the mountains. The Americans had six wounded The rebels lost sixty-eight killed and forty wounded

Some high Americans believe the Governor would wisely expend money in buying off Aguinaldo and his clique of influential Filipinos

The majority of the United States volunteers are eager to return home and "we didn t enlist to fight niggers," is the remark constantly heard

GEN OTIS REPORT

WASHINGTON April 10—The following despatches were received from Gen. Otis, to day

MANILA April 9—Lawton is now opposite Laguna de Bay with 1 500 men The condition of the troops is excellent sickness slight

MANILA April 10—Lawton s command captured Santa Cruz the chief city of Laguna de Bay this morning Casualties six wounded The insurgent troops were driven leaving sixty eight dead on the field and a large number wounded Considerable ammunition was captured Lawton will pursue to the westward

MANILA via Hong Kong April 7—Though hundreds of Filipinos are daily returning to their homes and are desirous of resuming peaceful pursuits and though the proclamation issued by the United States Philippine commission has given an impetus to this movement the war is far from ended

One of the foremost American Generals said recently We will see a hundred thousand soldiers in the Philippines before the Americans control the islands,' and the majority of the army is of his opinion

It is generally considered that great reinforcements are necessary there not being sufficient American troops in the archipelago to make the conquest of the island of Luzon and hold the ports occupied

All stories told by prisoners and friendly natives agree that a majority of the insurgents would be glad to quit, but there are enough professional revolutionists left to infest the country with bands of hundreds of men and demoralize business for years to come

MAZET'S INVESTIGATION

Richard Croker to Testify Before the Committee Next Friday.

By Associated Press

NEW YORK April 10—The rumors of startling developments to be made before the Mazet investigating committee to be followed by arrests are not believed by those best informed The committee will have to get a good deal further with its investigations before anything happens

Mr Moss said to-day that bogus subpoena servers had made several hundred dollars by pretending to withhold subpoenas from those from whom they were able to extort money

Dr O Sullivan who represents the city departments after announcing that Frank Croker was in court and that he had not been served with a subpoena created a little stir of excitement by adding 'Mr Richard Croker desires me to say he will be at the disposal of this investigating committee any time up to April 18, when he sails for Europe Frank Croker is on the stand this afternoon

Mr Moss promptly requested that Richard Croker be present to testify next Friday

Miners in a Riot.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

PANA, Ill April 10—A riot occurred here, this afternoon, between deputies negroes and white miners One white miner was killed and several other persons injured

LATER—Five men and one woman were killed and eight persons were wounded, some of them so seriously that they will probably die

The Treaty of Peace.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON April 10—The exchange copy of the Spanish American peace treaty reached Washington, to day It is now in the hands of the French Ambassador, M Cambon, who will at once arrange with the State Department for the final exchange of ratifications

French Steamer Wrecked.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

PORT AU PRINCE April 10—The French steamer Mahouba belonging to the Transatlantic Co, has been wrecked off Anse Damault The passengers and crew were saved The steamer and cargo are a total loss

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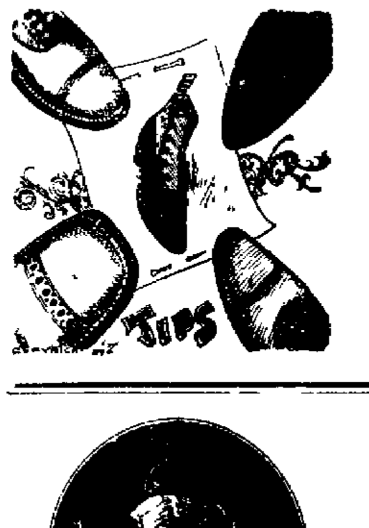

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SUPREME COURT—County of Orange

Edward A. Brown as Receiver of the Orange County Brewing Company
Plaintiff,
AGAINST
The Orange County Brewing Company and others,
Defendants

In pursuance of an interlocutory judgment made in this action on the 15th day of February 1899 and duly entered in the County Clerk's Office of Orange County I Edward A Brown as Receiver of the Orange County Brewing Company, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Brewery Building of the Orange County Brewing Company in the City of Middletown, Orange County New York on

TUESDAY APRIL 4 1899

at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day all of the following described real estate and personal property namely

All that certain lot piece or parcel of land situated on Lake Avenue in the City of Middletown County of Orange and State of New York and is bounded and described as follows Beginning at an iron bolt set in the ground in the westerly line of Lake Avenue two hundred and five feet and one inch northwesterly from a hydrant near the southerly corner of Lake Avenue and Summit Avenue, thence along the northerly line of the lands of Thomas Cline south seventy six degrees thirty-five minutes west one hundred and thirty five feet and four inches to an iron bolt set in the ground in the easterly line of the lands of the Erie Railroad Company thence along the easterly line of said Erie Railroad Company's lands north ten and one-half degrees west two hundred feet to an iron bolt set in the ground, thence along the lands of the Middletown Ice Company north seventy six and three-quarter degrees east one hundred and eight feet and eight inches to an iron bolt set in the ground in the westerly line of Lake Avenue thence along the westerly line of Lake Avenue south eighteen degrees and twenty-seven minutes east two hundred feet to the place of beginning being the same lands and premises sold to the Orange County Brewing Company by the Middletown Ice Company in the year 1897

Also all the personal property in or about the premises of said Brewing Company namely The implements fixtures office furniture about 185 barrels of beer and ale 400 pounds of hops 800 bushels of malt 20 beer barrels 600 half barrels 400 quarter barrels 10 hogsheads 18 chip casks, 21 storage vats 1 beer filter 1 Baltimore sealing machine 1 wagon 2 horses a quantity of bottles, cases tools and contents in repair shop, also the refrigerating plant connected with and used in said brewery And all other articles of personal property belonging to said Brewery Company which at the time of sale may be in or about the plant or buildings of said company and which, by the judgment, I am directed to sell

The above mentioned real and personal property will be sold as a whole and in one lot and the sale will be made free and clear of all claims, lien or incumbrance in favor of the defendants in this action or any of them

Dated March 8th 1899

The above sale is hereby adjourned until Thursday April 13th same hour and place
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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

MONDAY APRIL 10 1899

The Democrats of Port Jervis propose to give a Jefferson dinner Very wisely they set up no tests or standards of Democracy to which those who attend the dinner must square themselves All who call themselves Democrats will be welcome to the festive board

In order to prevent the diversion of trade from New York city the wholesale grocers have formally announced that they will pay the charges imposed by the clearing house banks for the collection of out of town checks Other branches of business will be compelled to do the same thing, so that [illegible] the new system will [illegible] the city banks [illegible] intended [illegible] country banks and [illegible] merchants

[illegible] New York city Democrats [illegible] wrong [illegible] right [illegible] punishment [illegible] New York city Democrats [illegible]

[illegible] Democrats [illegible]

[illegible] family wise [illegible]

[illegible] New York city [illegible] Judge [illegible] Republican [illegible] The story is that [illegible] committee [illegible] the committee [illegible] the fact that [illegible] the Republicans [illegible] systematic [illegible] funds [illegible] the people

The Regents of the University [illegible] taken steps [illegible] 5,000 [illegible] $5 000 and [illegible] at $5 000 [illegible] the measure which is being railroaded through the Legislature

The Regents protest against this bill as unnecessary, violent, revolutionary and unjust It would wipe out the department of public instruction without just cause [illegible] it would build upon its ruins a new department of government [illegible] which has been raised [illegible] the schools [illegible] would make that department subject to the abuses of political mismanagement and of [illegible] error and evil which have more than once in other fields involved our State [illegible] scandal and [illegible] It would bring [illegible] than at present our system of common school instruction within the [illegible] and purview of politics and within the methods and schemes of professional politicians It would [illegible] powers in the commission [illegible] which no [illegible] should approve no statesman sanction [illegible] right or scientific government contemplate without indignation and alarm By needless multiplication of high salaried officials and by duplication of administrative machinery it would add unwarrantably to the burdens of the taxpayers

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FOR THE MISSION CAUSE

Meeting of the Women's Hudson Presbyterial Missionary Society.

The Women's Hudson Presbyterial Missionary Society will hold its [illegible] annual meeting in the First Presbyterian Church of Middletown N Y Thursday April 20 1899

Devotional meeting at 9 15 a m

Business session at 10 a m at which will be presented the annual reports of the officers the president's address, report of Nominating Committee and the welcome by Mrs Winters of the First Church of Middletown with the response in behalf of the society by some member of the Executive Committee This meeting is of especial attraction for auxiliary officers and workers, and every person desirous of keeping in touch with the work of the Presbyterial Society should be sure to be present [illegible] provisional openings which the [illegible] past year have thrust upon us will [illegible] new features [illegible] labor and make enlarge[illegible] [illegible] desirable [illegible] 2 [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Palmer will [illegible] Mrs [illegible]

[illegible] Music [illegible] enthusiastic [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs [illegible]

DAIRYMEN LOCKED OUT

Walton Condensery People Punish Offending Farmers

[illegible]

PINE BUSH

Landlord Schultz's Improvements at the Taylor House

[illegible] ARGUS AND MERCURY

—[illegible] Schultz is [illegible] the interior [illegible] hotels [illegible] He anticipates a great business the coming season

DWAARKILL

School Reopened—Improvements Personal and Local Notes,

[illegible] ARGUS and MERCURY

—School has reopened after a two weeks vacation

—[illegible] is painting one of [illegible] houses

—[illegible] is having an addition put on his house Taylor Brothers, of Pine [illegible] are doing the work

—[illegible] Rev George Westcott was unable to attend the M E Conference at Newburgh last week

—[illegible] has engaged to work for [illegible] Decker the coming six months

—[illegible] made his usual trip to New [illegible] Tuesday

—[illegible] of Gardiner was [illegible]

—Hot drinks beef tea clam bouillon tomato bouillon chocolate, lemon and coffee at Eskesen's 34 North street tf

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AFTER ANOTHER CITY

An Expedition Fifteen Hundred Strong Under Lawton.

SANTA CRUZ TO BE CAPTURED.

The Expedition Expected to Reach the City Sunday Morning—Rebels Attempt to Break the Lines at Culicuil, but Are Repulsed.

MANILA, April 10—The expedition of 1,500 men under Major General Henry W Lawton, which started Saturday night with the intention of crossing Laguna de Bay, capturing Santa Cruz, on the eastern shore of the lake and then sweeping the country to the south, consists of 200 picked sharpshooters chosen from the various regiments, Hawthorne's mountain battery Gale's squadron, three troops of the Fourth cavalry unmounted with Brooke's and Tappen's battalions of the Fourteenth infantry Linck's battalion of the First Idaho infantry and Fraine's battalion of the First North Dakota infantry under General King

The flotilla of 20 canoes towed by tugs and convoyed by the gunboats Laguna de Bay Oeste and Nappidan and preceded by the launch containing General Lawton and General King started from Pedro Macati, on the river Pasig moving toward the lake just as evening was setting in It was a truly picturesque scene The men were all in high spirits and carried rations for ten days with the lightest marching equipment

General Lawton's plan was to reach Santa Cruz yesterday morning at daybreak to capture or destroy any rebel gunboats or shipping, to take the town and then to scour the country to the south of the lake, a district not yet explored by the Americans The tactics will be those of the old time frontier fighting and it is probable that the command will be divided into squads of 12 under noncommissioned officers

In General Lawton's absence the Second division is temporarily commanded by General Ovenshine whose lines extend from the beach near Malate south of Manila to the shore of Laguna de Bay beyond Pasig a distance of about seven miles

The withdrawal of the 18 companies constituting the expeditionary force made a gap in the line from the beach to Culicuil just southwest of San Pedro Macati which was subsequently filled by the Fourth regular infantry The rebels on the extreme right had evidently been informed of the withdrawal of the troops and they attempted to break through after night but they met with a warm reception and fell back in disorder on discovering that the line was still intact

Washington Officials Expectant

WASHINGTON April 10—The war department authorities look for important news from Manila today announcing in all probability the capture of the city of Santa Cruz a leading town in a country as yet untouched by the American and now in the hands of the Filipino forces The move is looked upon as one of the natural steps in General Otis' carefully laid plans against the insurgents Santa Cruz is a place of considerable importance in several respects It is the capital of the province of Laguna and has a population according to the best available information here of considerably more than 12 000 persons

Must Talk Spanish

MADRID April 10 The following dispatch from Manila is published here Aguinaldo has issued a decree directing that Spanish shall be the official language throughout the archipelago and protesting against the American pretension to force the use of English on the natives who do not know it

Noted Printer Dead

WASHINGTON April 10 — Aaron M Clapp at one time United States government printer died at his residence here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the eighty eighth year of his age Mr Clapp was born in Killingly Conn in 1811 and came from one of the oldest families in New England He established The Aurora New York Standard and later the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser and still later the Buffalo Express He was delegate to the Pittsburg convention that founded the Republican party and in 1869 was appointed public printer On retiring from that office in 18[illegible] he bought an interest in The National Republican of Washington

Wheeler to Be Head of California President

ITHACA N Y April 10 During the last two or three days it has been rumored among the members of Cornell's faculty and student body that Professor B I Wheeler of Cornell university is likely to be the next president of the University of California He lately made a trip to the Pacific coast where it was said he went to deliver some lectures at the California institution It is now thought that the main object of his visit west was to see the western institution and negotiate with its authorities

Death of a Prominent Merchant.

CANTON O April 10 E V Backus one of the oldest merchants in Canton died yesterday aged 73 years He was vice president of the Diebold Safe and Lock company a director of the Cleveland Terminal and Valley Railroad company and was closely connected with a number of other local concerns His death was due to paralysis He was father in-law of the prosecuting attorney in the George trial

Vice President Improving

WASHINGTON April 10—Vice President Hobart is slightly better but is not yet out of bed He is slowly regaining strength through his constant rest and succeeds in gaining considerable sleep His progress however it is admitted is not as rapid as had been hoped for and he continues very seriously ill

Hotel Fire in Missouri

HANNIBAL Mo April 10—The Park hotel was practically destroyed by fire Saturday J E Carr train dispatcher for the St Louis Keokuk and Northwest railroad and Mrs Fay Gerald received injuries in jumping Both will recover The building cost $45 000

Colonel Astor in Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE April 10—Colonel John Jacob Astor has arrived here on board his steam yacht Nourmahal Dr Weir Mitchell of Philadelphia is also here On the invitation of Mr Straus the United States minister he has professionally attended the wife of Tewfik Pasha, Turkish minister of foreign affairs

Noted Bostonian Dead.

BOSTON April 10 — Hon John H Sullivan a former member of the governor's executive council and one of the most prominent politicians in the city dropped dead in his home in East Boston yesterday afternoon

Alger Homeward Bound.

SAN JUAN Porto Rico April 10—General Russell A Alger the secretary of war with his party, left yesterday morning at 8 o'clock by the transport Ingalls proceeding direct for New York, where he should arrive on Friday

Nordfarer Saves Twenty-six Men.

LONDON, April 10—It is learned here that the Danish steamer Nordfarer, Captain Brunnich, Galveston for Hamburg via Norfolk took off 26 men from the French fishing schooner Eugenie, which foundered

A Double Drowning.

OROVILLE, Cal April 10.—John D. Sims and Leonard Hale were drowned in Feather river. They attempted to cross the stream which was swift and very rough, in a canvas boat.

NOT IN DEWEY'S HAT

Presidential Bee Disturbeth Not the Admiral.

A SAILOR, NOT A POLITICIAN.

The Hero of Manila Says a Sentiment In America to Nominate Him Must Be Stemmed—His Life Work Has Been Along Different Lines.

NEW YORK, April 10—Admiral Dewey has given to the Manila correspondent of Leslie's Weekly a very free and full interview regarding the suggestion that the admiral be made a candidate for the presidency next year The correspondent says

After talking of the previous day's experience of the war and of minor matters, I asked Dewey if he objected to speak upon the subject that was interesting the millions of people to whom his name was a household word—upon the subject of his possible candidacy for the presidency in 1900

"'No I have no objection to talking on that subject but you see they want to know whether I am a Democrat or a Republican'

"'And which then are you?' I said Dewey looked at me a moment and smiled

Well you see I am a sailor A sailor has no politics The administration is his party and Republican or Democrat it makes no difference Then again I come from Vermont and you know what that means To be anything but a Republican in Vermont is to be a man without a party My flag lieutenant comes from Georgia He tells me that to be anything but a Democrat in the south is to be nobody If I lived south I would probably be a Democrat"

Have you ever voted?" I asked

"'Yes years ago but my vote was usually influenced by personal preference or local conditions I am not a politician have never held political office and am totally ignorant of party intricacies and affiliations

I understand Senator Proctor says Vermont will propose you for the presidency" I continued

Is that so? How do you know?" the admiral questioned me

I then read him an article referring to an interview to that effect Had Senator Proctor reason to think you would accept such a nomination?" I said

The senator is an old staunch friend of mine I have known him all my life He has written me on this subject Others have asked permission to use my name Don't you think it would be presumptuous to accept a nomination before it is offered? Perhaps it would be equally previous to reject it?

But I hadn't received an unequivocal answer yet so I again referred to the question of the presidential candidacy An entire half hour the admiral talked on this subject I will not quote his words It is too momentous a question to dispose of in a few sentences No man however [illegible] his purpose can throw the thought of such a possibility over his shoulder [illegible] Not [illegible] Admiral Dewey [illegible] gravely and seriously [illegible] upon the great responsibility [illegible] the necessity of a [illegible] the most able [illegible] exalted [illegible] he said that [illegible] education [illegible] fitted to fill [illegible] He said that he was [illegible] in life to consider [illegible] His health [illegible] his friends [illegible] generous [illegible] American people [illegible] would not be a candidate for the presidency of the United States under any condition I [illegible] this statement with the full consent [illegible] the authority of Admiral Dewey If there is such a tide of sentiment it must be stemmed [illegible]

When [illegible] will stem the [illegible] within his province to contemplate [illegible] though that what Admiral [illegible] said to me was with all sincerity

Western Union Refused to Pay Tax

LITTLE FALLS N Y April 10 Instruments and furniture in the Western Union office in this city were sold Saturday [illegible] a tax [illegible] some weeks ago for the state and county the tax amounting to $[illegible] The company refused to pay the tax on the ground that it was exorbitant The sale realized the sum of $12 New instruments were put in after an interruption of four hours The city authorities threaten to levy on the new instruments unless the full tax is paid

Massachusetts Troops Home

BOSTON April 10 The Eighth Massachusetts regiment United States volunteers Colonel William Pew commanding the last body of volunteer soldiery from this state to return from active duty arrived home yesterday afternoon on the United States transport Meade and was welcomed with unbounded enthusiasm

Senator Teller Ill

DENVER April 10 United States Senator Henry M Teller has been quite ill of fever resulting from a severe cold contracted while in Chicago but it is announced that the crisis has been passed and that he will be able to be out again in a few days

A Glass Blowers' Strike

BRIDGETON N J April 10—The blowers at all the glass factories in this locality except one will go on strike today The one factory which will be in blast is that of Parker Bros who have recognized the union

THEY WANT TO TELL

These Grateful Women Who Have Been Helped by Mrs. Pinkham.

Women who have suffered severely and been relieved of their ills by Mrs Pinkham's advice and medicine are constantly urging publication of their statements for the benefit of other women Here are two such letters:

Mrs LIZZIE BEVERLY, 258 Merrimac St, Lowell, Mass., writes:

"It affords me great pleasure to tell all suffering women of the benefit I have received from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I can hardly find words to express my gratitude for what she has done for me My trouble was ulceration of the womb. I was under the doctor's care. Upon examination he found fifteen very large ulcers, but he failed to do me good. I took several bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, also used the Sanative Wash, and am cured. Mrs. Pinkham's medicine saved my life, and I would recommend it to all suffering women"

Mrs. AMOS TROMBLEAY, Ellenburgh Ctr, N. Y., writes:

"I took cold at the time my baby was born, causing me to have milk legs, and was sick in bed for eight weeks. Doctors did me no good. I surely thought I would die. I was also troubled with falling of the womb. I could not eat, had faint spells as often as ten times a day. One day a lady came to see me and told me of the benefit she had derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine, and advised me to try it. I did so, and had taken only half a bottle before I was able to sit in a chair. After taking three bottles I could do my own work. I am now in perfect health."

COLDS CURED.

A Prominent Texan, who Had Headache for Years, Was Cured, and Found a Panacea for Colds as Well by the Use of

DR. MILES' NERVINE.

Health is not a question of muscle and sinew, but of resistance and endurance It is the weak, the wasted, the thin blooded who are always sick, those who have no resistance power, so that a sudden cold develops into graver disease Every process of the body is controlled by the nervous system, and just in proportion as this nervous system is weakened the whole body suffers loss of resistive power Overwork, worry, care, anxiety—these are the chief causes which sap the system of its vital power The man who comes to his work in the morning with a headache, who suffers all day from dullness and drowsiness, who goes to his meals without an appetite, and tosses restlessly through the night without getting his regular sleep, is not likely to fight off disease very hard The best thing for you when you feel that your bodily energy is lacking, is to seek the strengthening, power producing help of Dr Miles' Restorative Nervine, which reinforces and invigorates the nervous system to a remarkable degree, and fortifies the body against the encroachments of disease with an abundant supply of nervous energy and rugged endurance.

Mr J H Siddall, Calvert, Tex, writes 'For many years I suffered with nervous headaches, and took many kinds of medicine in a vain search for relief In 1894 I was induced to try Dr Miles' Restorative Nervine, which I did with good results I found relief at once and after using it a few weeks my headaches ceased Before taking the medicine I was subject to severe colds during the winter, which were very troublesome Since taking Nervine in 1894 I have not had a cold"

Mr A L Hereford, Springfield, Ills., says "Three years ago I was much troubled with nervous dyspepsia, which caused me to become run down in health and spirits I was very nervous and restless, and found it difficult at times to concentrate my thoughts I did not get my natural sleep at night, and frequently would leave the dining table without tasting a mouthful of food Dr Miles' Restorative Nervine was recommended to me and I was very much pleased with my first trial It improved and invigorated me, and I soon gained twenty pounds from its use

From Cripple Creek, Col., comes the following 'I am a blacksmith, and about two years ago I felt a sudden pain in my left arm I paid little attention to it at first, but as it became worse my left side and breast were affected and I came down with nervous prostration. I was so bad that I just trembled while lying in bed After suffering in this way for several weeks I began taking Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. I used six bottles altogether and before they were gone I returned to my work, and since then I have felt all right"

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A trial package of Dr Miles' favorite treatment, consisting of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and Dr Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills will be sent absolutely free of cost to any person who will send name and address on a postal card, requesting the samples and mentioning name of this paper to
Dr Miles Medical Co, Elkhart, Ind.

RAILROAD TIED UP.

Cuban Employees Strike For More Pay—Gold Found in Matanzas

HAVANA April 10 All railway communication from Havana eastward is suspended because of the strike of the 200 employees of the United Railroads affects the provinces of Matanzas and Santa Clara as well as the routes to Guanajay province of Pinar del Rio and to Batabano on the southern coast of Havana province where the steamships make their communication with Havana No freight passengers or even milk could be moved yesterday Many people in ignorance of the situation went to the city stations and waited long in the hope that trains would be started The inconvenience resulting is very great It is hoped however that the strike will be settled by the company acceding to the demand of the strikers who want a reestablishment of the wage scale that existed before the war

The Cuban generals who [illegible] General Gomez [illegible] chief were to have notified him [illegible] of their action [illegible] [illegible] Brooke is preparing [illegible] the payment [illegible] army [illegible] perfectly [illegible]

[illegible] Matanzas [illegible] the castle [illegible] Spanish gold piece [illegible] The men [illegible] staked off [illegible] and dug up [illegible] 1898 [illegible]

THE MAZET INQUIRY.

Startling Revelations Promised in the Tammany Tiger Hunt

NEW YORK April 10 [illegible] this morning says [illegible] city state [illegible] confidently expected by the [illegible] of the Mazet investigating committee [illegible] the [illegible] affairs of this city

Surprising [illegible] evidences of blackmail and corruption laid before the Lexow committee [illegible] exposures It was said [illegible] are likely to come [illegible] when the Mazet committee [illegible] have finished its work

Exposures [illegible] arrests criminal prosecutions [illegible] it was learned from a New York politician who is in every sense competent to speak may overtake some of the political celebrities [illegible] wide influence in city affairs has been ascribed for years

The full significance of the statements made by the Republican leader in question cannot be given at this time These statements were most sweeping If they should be borne out by subsequent events those politicians who have regarded the present investigation as insincere or as an inquiry started merely for the purpose of being called off before any one is hit are likely to be genuinely disappointed

Men high in Tammany Hall who enjoy the confidence and support of some of the leading financial and business men of the city are mentioned as among those who will figure conspicuously in the exposures which are expected to be made and in the arrests which are likely to follow

Big Real Estate Sale in Mexico.

GUADALAJARA Mexico April 10—The famous Providencia hacienda situated in the state of Jalisco has just been sold to an American syndicate for $1 000 000 St Louis Chicago and New York capitalists comprise the company

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ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE

There are two chimneys in town which cause considerable uneasiness to people who don't know of their peculiarities One is that from the bakery at North and Depot streets When the bakers start a wood fire on nights when the air is heavy, the smoke creeps over the top of the building with all of the characteristics of a smoldering conflagration

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The other chimney is located in the front of the Congregational Church Its outlet is hidden way up among the little minarets and when the furnace is started up the smoke pours out of the fancy work which borders the roof and the stranger feels like sending in a fire alarm Saturday night the smoke looked especially suspicious and many stopped to look and wonder if the roof was really on fire

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Sunday was hardly as springlike as one could desire The cold raw air from the snow covered hills and mountains of Sullivan county kept the spring clothes in the closets It now seems probable that a spring suit may be comfortably worn on Decoration Day

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Ex Alderman Ed Allen has the bicycle craze He has bought one and ex Mayor Mance has one and each has ordered one for his wife Mr Allen has the agency for several wheels and last week he sold one every day to friends What the ex alderman don't know about sprockets and gears and two months guarantees is not worth knowing He ought to have been a traveling salesman and somebody [illegible] is likely to snap him up yet

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Billy Taylor the Great American Cattle Driver called in this morning to say that on May 15 one of the agents of the Great American Cattle Driving Association will take a trip to Sheffield Eng on important business for the association

Inquiry developed the fact that Billy is the agent referred to and that he goes to Sheffield with two carloads of horses from Fargo North Dakota He may be gone three weeks or he may be gone five weeks but he intends to deliver the horses to the new owner in just as good shape as if he had driven them a few miles along a good road

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Pet Agnew is making a [illegible] with the [illegible] Saturday [illegible] against the University of Pennsylvania [illegible] two [illegible] base hits [illegible] outs and one assist

[illegible] Saturday [illegible]

[illegible] has a photograph taken by his brother who is on a man of war of the [illegible] at [illegible] who at Matanzas [illegible] having money enough to pay [illegible] are dumped into the [illegible] skulls [illegible] visible

CATARRH OF THE STOMACH

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Catarrh of the stomach has long been [illegible] Its usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases causing pressure on the lungs and heart and difficult breathing [illegible] appetite nervousness and a general played out and languid feeling

There is often a foul taste in the mouth coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy inflamed condition

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily and thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach

[illegible] a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared

According to Dr Harlan [illegible] treatment is the use [illegible] composed of Diastase Aseptic Pepsin [illegible] Golden Seal [illegible]

[illegible] Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets [illegible] used with perfect [illegible] healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals

Mr N J Booher of 2710 Dearborn street Chicago Ill writes Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing back into the throat, reaches the stomach thus producing catarrh of the stomach Medical authorities prescribed for me three years for catarrh of the stomach without cure but to day I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets I can not find appropriate words to express my good feeling I have found flesh appetite and sound rest from their use

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Justice Stephen J. Field Dies at a Ripe Age.

MEMBER OF A FAMOUS FAMILY.

He Was Appointed to the Supreme Court Bench by President Lincoln, and Held the Office For More than Thirty-five Years.

WASHINGTON April 10 — Justice Stephen J Field (retired) of the United States supreme court died here at 6 o'clock last evening from ailments incident to old age

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Stephen Johnson Field was born at Haddam Conn Nov 4 1816 He was the son of David Dudley Field and one of four brothers who became famous David Dudley Cyrus W and Henry M Field being the other members of the great quartet that made their names known throughout the world His early boyhood was spent at Stockbridge Mass

At the age of 13 Stephen J Field went to Smyrna where his sister had married a missionary the Rev Josiah Brewster who had undertaken an educational mission to the Greeks and he there acquired a knowledge of oriental languages Returning to this country after two and a half years he later entered Williams college from which he was graduated in 18[illegible] at the head of his class He then went to New York where he entered the law office of his brother David Dudley Field He was admitted to the bar and became a partner in the firm remaining as such for seven years In 1848 he went to Europe and spent some time there traveling In November 1849 he sailed for San Francisco [illegible] After a short time [illegible] to Marysville [illegible] mining [illegible] a thriving town [illegible]

[illegible] first [illegible] supreme court of California in 18[illegible] for the term of six years [illegible] Justice David S Terry [illegible] supreme court of the United States and he held that position until his retirement on Dec 1 18[illegible]

During the latter years of his service [illegible] His term was the longest in the history of that tribunal The great chief justice John Marshall [illegible] 34 years It was the ambition of the late Justice Field to surpass this record and he [illegible] a few months During his service of more than a third of a century [illegible] the most important cases ever passed upon by the supreme court Among the prominent [illegible] was the famous test oath case in which he gave the casting vote [illegible] dissenting opinions in the [illegible] cases and in the New Orleans slaughter house case attracted the widest attention

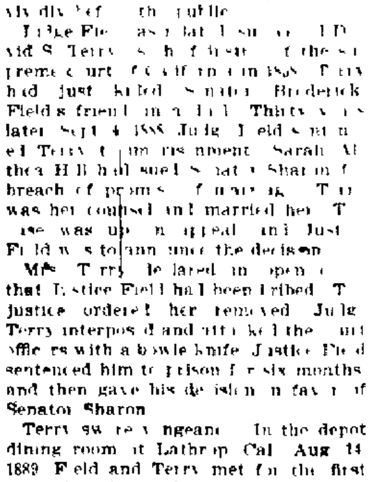
During his long service on the bench he was also before the public eye in other ways [illegible] United States supreme court He was a member of the Hayes Tilden electoral commission in 18[illegible] and voted with the Democratic minority In 1880 he [illegible] 65 votes for the presidential nomination in the Cincinnati Democratic convention [illegible]

In 1889 [illegible] events of a remarkably exciting [illegible] personal [illegible] public

Judge Field [illegible] David S Terry [illegible] the supreme court of California in 1855 Terry had just killed Senator Broderick Field's friend in a duel Thirty years later Sept 4 1888 Judge Field sentenced Terry to imprisonment Sarah Althea Hill had sued Senator Sharon for breach of promise of marriage Terry was her counsel and married her The case was up on appeal and Justice Field was to announce the decision

Mrs Terry declared in open court that Justice Field had been bribed The justice ordered her removed Judge Terry interposed and attacked the court officers with a bowie knife Justice Field sentenced him to prison for six months and then gave his decision in favor of Senator Sharon

Terry swore vengeance In the depot dining room at Lathrop Cal Aug 14 1889 Field and Terry met for the first time after the incident in the San Francisco courtroom Terry stooped over Field who was sitting at a table and slapped his face Deputy Marshal Nagle was with Justice Field He shot Terry dead Terry's threats had been so frequent that Nagle had been ordered to accompany the justice and protect him Nagle was exonerated by the coroner's jury



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They Make Haste Slowly, and Adjournment Is Not In Sight.

ALBANY, April 10—As time passes and the most important measures of the session remain unacted upon the date of final adjournment of the legislature grows more remote Today no one hopes for adjournment before the 1st of May and it would not be surprising were the end postponed until the middle of May Nearly all the bills affecting municipal interests which must receive the consideration of the local authorities still slumber in the upper branch, and their sponsors have manifested no disposition to press them That this postponement of the date of final adjournment is appreciated by the members is manifest in a cessation of the feverish anxiety of senators over the progress of their individual measures which was a feature of the early sessions of last week So thoroughly was this appreciated that on Friday with a calendar of 25 pages of bills awaiting final action the senate adjourned without a protest after a 40 minute session with less than six pages of these bills disposed of

Most important of the bills requiring consideration by the mayor and local authorities are the Amsterdam avenue bill the rapid transit bill and the New York city police bills The first of these is now in condition for final passage both houses having accepted the conference committee report and should there be a full senate it is likely to be passed on tonight This however is a contingency which causes not a little anxiety to Republican leaders

Meanwhile there still remain in committees of the two houses over 600 bills but a great majority of them will die there and consume no time of the open session These bills are being daily added to in the number introduced in each house and there are a sufficient number of private and local bills to occupy any interim in the discussion of the more important measures

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German View of Samoa Trouble

BERLIN April 10 The National Zeitung discussing the situation at Samoa declares that all changes which have occurred there since the middle of March are invalid and that the conditions established by the joint proclamation of the consuls on Jan 4 are still legally in force While admitting the amicable attitude of the American government the National Zeitung says It must remain undecided for the present whether Admiral Kautz has assailed the honor of the German flag If this should prove to have been the case we have the fullest confidence in the ability of the government not only to keep the [illegible] solution of the Samoan question in view but also to secure a [illegible] satisfaction for the moral interests of the German empire

Elephant Killed His Keeper

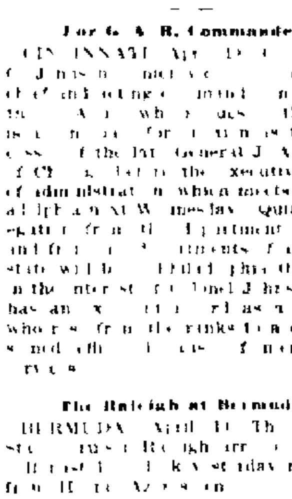
KANSAS CITY April 10—Rajah a mammoth elephant owned by Lemen Bros Circus company which has been wintering in Argentine Kan near here yesterday killed its keeper Frank Fish [illegible] the beast's trunk [illegible] crushed [illegible] It is said to be his ninth victim

For G. A. R. Commander

CINCINNATI April 10 [illegible] Colonel J [illegible] the late General J A Sexton of Chicago [illegible] the executive [illegible] of administration which meets in Philadelphia next Wednesday [illegible] Colonel J [illegible] who has [illegible] veteran who rose from the ranks to a command [illegible] meritorious service

The Raleigh at Bermuda

BERMUDA April 10 The United States cruiser Raleigh arrived here at [illegible] yesterday morning from [illegible] for New York All on board are well



Now a days nearly every woman rides a bicycle The majority of those who do not have failed to compass its difficulties because of nervousness Many women after taking innumerable lessons and trying vainly to conquer the wheel for weeks have finally given it up as a hopeless task for this one reason

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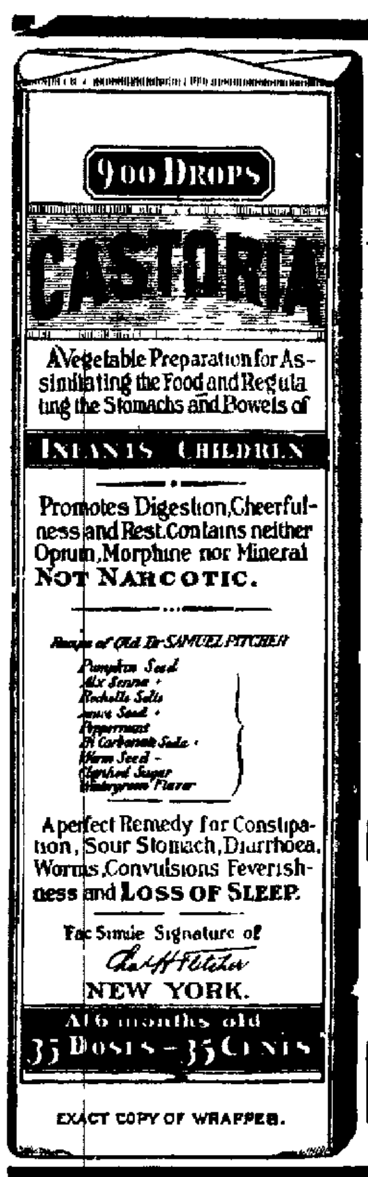

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Tompkins' is never at less than its best whatever the season, but there are times when its helpfulness and importance are multiplied. One is at Christmas time, one is at the beginning of the fall season and one is NOW—at the threshold of spring Store keeping is a public duty, and that is the best store which best performs its duty to the public. Our duty to you is to collect the best things from all over the world for your use, and to sell them to you as cheaply as we can. Tompkins depends on the public, consequently the public depends on Tompkins.

HATS COSTUMES, WRAPS, DRESS FABRICS, SILKS, RIBBONS, NOVELTIES.

HATS & COSTUMES Tompkins Millinery is hand to hand with Tompkins Costumes They take their stand side by side both in natural association and practical supremacy Supremacy is a hard word to use honestly It means even more to us than it does to you We are justly proud that your own opinion as expressed hundreds of times in a day coincides with ours Our opinion without yours is worthless anyway You are the judge and you say Best

For our supremacy in Millinery we acknowledge our debt to our head milliner *MADAME ENGLISH* who has had long experience in one of the largest and most tony millinery establishments in New York city Her styles are exquisite and prices moderate Come and see THE PRETTIEST MILLINERY DISPLAY IN THIS CITY

CHILDREN'S TRIMMED MILLINERY in many new designs All pretty and stylish at prices ranging from $1 to $2 50—just half what you would pay an exclusive milliner for them COME AND SEE WHAT A STYLISH HAT YOU CAN GET trimmed here from $2 50 to $5

UNTRIMMED MILLINERY Every shape style and color that is desirable is here

Dress Shapes black and colors 49c each
Fancy Net Untrimmed Hats a very popular style black and colors $1
Trimmed Straw Alpines variety of colors 49c

ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS Our exhibit this year excels any showing in this city every flower of the field or garden being represented in impressive style and the prices are low.

Violets per bunch 5c
Roses per bunch 10c
Bluetts 25c
Large Spray of Roses 25
Imported Mixtures Large Spray of Roses Buds and Foliage per spray 49c

TAILOR MADE SUITS New ones again, as a tale of every day Serges Homespuns Tweeds, Venetian Cloths and Broad cloths in all the colorings you can think of, and in others that you would never think of unless you had studied the matter from this spring's standpoint Almost all the styles are rigidly confined to this store Prices from $10 to $25

DRESS GOODS BARGAINS Our Dress Goods Business is growing daily and this is why

[illegible] all wool Mixtures in colors of grey tan brown and navy These goods should [illegible] Special this week at Tompkins 25c a yard

All wool navy blue Storm Serge full 50 inches wide a 75c quality Special this week 50c per yd

With English Covert Cloth, one of the best and most favorably known qualities in a full assortment of the best colorings, a special value 50c per yard

Wide elegant imported silk and wool Crepons worth fully $2 50 per yard Special this week $1 50 per yard

All wool black Henrietta silk finished 46 inches wide regularly sold for $1 and at that price would be considered a bargain Special this week [illegible] per yard

We [illegible] English Mohairs well made [illegible] black regular 50c goods Special this week [illegible] per yard

BIT OF IMPORTANT NEWS IN SEPARATE SKIRTS Twenty five Separate Dress Skirts in the very newest patterns of crepons black or navy elegant in fit and shape excellently made and of a real retail value of $6 if we are any judge of such things Percaline lined CHOOSE AT $6 EACH

MISSES JACKETS 50 Children's Reefers, made from mixtures with combination collars, braid embroidered, size 4 to 14 years A garment that should never retail for less than $3 75 our price $1 75 each

PLAIN BLACK TAFFETA SILKS In these days of cheap dying and flimsy weaving, and stingy widths, there is a kind of goodness that has come to be "old-fashioned" These are "old fashioned" Black Taffetas, equal to those made in the days when a silk dress was expected to wear for twenty years Just a plain black silk pure and simple Silk extra ordinarily light, yet strong Silk that will clean like a plate of glass and wear like sheet steel And, finally, bargain silks for we are selling these at about import price

The regular 75c quality for 50c
The regular $1 quality for 75c
The regular $1 25 quality for $1

1,000 YARDS OF BLACK BROCADED INDIA SILK very [illegible] large assortment of new designs They usually cost 75c Special this week 50c per yard

NEW JAPANESE WASH SILKS, in stripes plaids and checks 29c per yard

WOMEN'S SPRING JACKETS Perhaps your winter coat feels a trifle warm to-day and you may be tempted to leave it open That's a good way to take cold. May we remind you that our display of Spring Jackets is at its best. New ideas find here their first expressions. You know how our coats are made

At $3 50, of castor covert, fly front lined with silk

At $5 of tan covert double breasted front, coat back lined with silk

At $6 50 of black serge double breasted, fly front new drop effect lined with silk lining.

WASH DRESS FABRICS Values follow values. Always something new and always something of fine quality at lower prices than buyers expect to pay

Linen Crash for street 10c per yard
10c American Ginghams 7c per yard
12½c fine Ginghams 10c per yard
Yard wide Percales 10c per yard
Best Percales large assortment 10c per yard.

CARPETS Tapestry Brussels Carpet, best make, double extra quality new spring styles and colorings. These carpets were made to sell for 90c. Special this week 59c per yard.

Good Brussels Carpet, a 50c quality This week special 39c per yard
INGRAIN CARPET for this week a special.
25c quality for 18
35c quality for 25c
50c quality for 39c
65c quality for 50c.
90c quality for 65c
RUGS at half price
A $2 50 Rug for $1 25
$3 quality for $1 50
$3 50 quality for $1 75
$4 Velvet Rug for $2
Large Rugs 6x9 feet reversible $5.50 each.

FLOOR OIL CLOTHS
The 25c quality 18c
The 35c quality 25c
The 50c quality 35c
50c Linoleum 35c per yard

WINDOW SHADES Opaque Cloth Window Shades, with patent spring roller, a 25c value, 19c each

A fine Fringed Opaque Window Shade, with fringe a 35c value, 25c each
A 40c Fringed Window Shade, this week, 29c
A 50c Window Shade, with lace open work and handsome fringe 39c each

LACE CURTAINS An elegant line at prices that range from 75c to $5 a pair.

PORTIER CURTAINS A $5 quality at $3 50 a pair A $6 quality at $5 a pair

J. W. TOMPKINS.

No. 35 North St., Middletown.

MAKE IT PUBLIC.

[illegible] Counts—That's What the Peo[illegible] Want—Middletown Expression on the Subject.

e it public
l the people about it
titude promotes publicity
teful citizens talk
l their neighbors—tell their friends
e news is too good to keep
rybody should know about the little conqueror
Bad backs are numerous
w understand the cause
Many Middletown people are learning
And better still they're being cured
Lame backs are lame no more
Weak ones regain their strength
This is the every day labor in Middletown
Of Doan's Kidney Pills
Our citizens are making it public

Emmit Barton of the firm of Harford & Barton, says "My back was never free from pain and a cold or any lifting made it more severe. Urinary troubles set in and were a great source of annoyance, compelling me to get up three or four times at night. I tried everything for my trouble and got little or no relief, finally I heard about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured a box at J. E. [illegible]' drug store. I never saw anything work more quickly. I took in all two boxes and had no further use for Doan's Kidney Pills for the reason that I did not need them. My back did not ache, the urinary trouble was regulated. I could enjoy a good night's rest, in fact I was rid of all the symptoms of kidney disease which clung to me for twenty years."

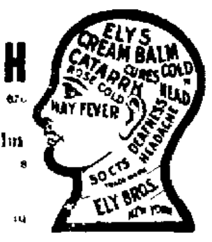
Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Price 50 cents per box or six boxes for $2.50. Sent by mail on receipt of price. For sale by all dealers.

Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Cures a Cough or Cold in a day! Why cough and risk Consumption? This famous remedy will cure you. Doctors recommend it. Price 25 cents. Sold by all druggists.

Nasal CATARRH



In all its stages there should be clea[illegible]

Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes [illegible] the diseased [illegible] [illegible] away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

For Saturday.

Strawberries, Asparagus, Fresh **Spinach**, Celery, Sweet Potatoes, **Squashes**, Bermuda Potatoes, **Oyster** Plant, Radishes, Water **Cress**, fancy No 1 Mackerel, **Print Butter**, etc.

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56 North St., Opp. Postoffice.

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Style
And
Cleanliness
Are two conspicuous
Qualities always present
In work done at our laundry

MIDDLETOWN HAND LAUNDRY, 11 DEPOT ST
M A HAWES Prop

FOR SALE.

The fine residence of C S Abrams, second lot from the corner of Prospect avenue and Washington street. The house contains eight rooms and all modern improvements, also fine [illegible] house and stable on same lot. Owing to the removal of Mr Abrams from [illegible] city, we offer the premises at a bargain.

GARDNER & McWILLIAMS,
No. 28 NORTH STREET MIDDLETOWN

The Manhattan Market

NO. 148 NORTH STREET

Lard, 3 lbs	20c	Rib Roast	12, 14c
Corn, 3 cans	25c	Boston Roast	10c
Peas, 3 cans	25c	Other Roasts	[illegible]
Salmon, 3 cans	25c	Frankfurters	12c
Sardines, 6 cans	25c	Pork Steak 2 lbs	[illegible]
Sour Kraut, 2 qts	25c	Beef Steak	10c

Our own Smoked Hams and Bacon. Oysters, Clams and Fish every day. Call and see us.
G. A. BEHME, H. KEMSHAR, Proprietors.
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Programme This Week at Cottage Theatre, Mechanictown.

[illegible] **Russell** la petite soubrette introduces **song and dance** jig and buck dancing. Marjorie [illegible], the nightingale singing her latest hits. [illegible] **Sigmar**, the perfection of elasticity in new **novel feats** of contortion. Sharkey-McCoy fight, by Edison's projectoscope. Miss Clifton, the original fire dance. **Masquerade Ball** Thursday night.

BUSINESS CARDS

DR. F. E. FRIEND, Dentist office corner North and King Sts., Middletown. Entrance on King St. Dental work of all kinds. Gas administered.

TEETH—a good set $6 and $8, the BEST $10. Warranted five years. Odontunder, gas or ether administered. DR. ROBINSON, Iseman Building, James street.

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[illegible]L & COX, Attorneys and Counselors at Law, office No 2 South street, Middletown, N. Y., attend to all kinds of law business.

[illegible] O. ROCKAFELLOW Funeral Director and Embalmer, 60 North street. Telephone [illegible]. Lady assistant. New York office 184 East [illegible] street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

[illegible]APP & MERRITT Undertakers and Embalmers, 42 West Main street corner James, Middletown, N. Y. 36 Great Jones St. New York. Lady assistant. Telephone Call No 16.

[illegible] DONOVAN, Undertaker and Embalmer, 108 North street. Fine coaches to let. Telephone [illegible]. Lady assistant. Open day and night.

[illegible] D. OSTERHOUT Undertaker and Embalmer, 46 James St., Middletown, N. Y. Orange County Telephones—158 residence, 218 office. [illegible] Silver or long distance telephone—No [illegible]. Brooklyn office—49 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, [illegible] James St., New York. Lady Assistant.

[illegible]ERTY & CAREY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 25 Cottage street, Middletown. [illegible] County Telephone 170, night and day. New [illegible], 36 Great Jones street. Also long distance Telephone. Lady assistant.

[illegible] A. I. KROM, Clairvoyant, Central Building, corner North street and Railroad Ave. [illegible] Railroad avenue. Office hours 9 a. m. [illegible] 29d1yNov3,99

[illegible] J. KING, Jr., 78 Academy avenue—Dealer in Wall Paper. Estimates furnished [illegible] decorating and hanging.

[illegible] A. [illegible], Counselor at law, 18 East [illegible]. Legal business of all kinds. Special [illegible] to searching and collections.

[illegible] E. EVERSON, successor to William [illegible], Surveyor and Civil Engineer, [illegible] street, Middletown.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—April 11—The Pride o' Kildare at Casino
—April 13—Stag and smoker at K of P rooms
—April 13—Grand musical festival at First Baptist Church
—April 13 14 15—Ben Hur for benefit of Thrall Hospital at the Casino
—April 18 Seventh annual ball of Middletown Lodge No 40 B of R T
—April 27 Howe's Warograph return date benefit First Congregational Church at Casino

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Good tea 35c a pound at E. W. Sloat's
—Baby carriages at France & Hathaway's
—See McMonagle & Rogers' prices
—Lawn seed at Young's Pharmacy
—Irish setter dog found
—Spring suits and skirts at L. Stern's
—New attractions at Weller & Demerest's
—All kinds of yarns at Crosby's
—Blankets laundered by Geo Dorrance
—Eyes fitted with glasses by J. K. Wigg[illegible]
—Large assortment of millinery at Mrs Bush's
—For backache Doan's Pills
—Health restored by Dr. Miles' Nervine

WEATHER INDICATIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 10—Fair tonight; increasing cloudiness and warmer Tuesday; southwesterly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Crook's drug store today:
7 a m **37** 1 p m **48** 4 p m **52**

MONDAY APRIL 10 1899

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS

—Common Council meets tonight

—Tomorrow Frank [illegible] will [illegible] as a policeman and Fisher White, vice [illegible]

—Snow fell in considerable quantities at places north of here on the O. & W. Sunday

—Regular meetings of the Board of Health and Board of Education tomorrow night

—The reserved seat sale for Ben Hur opened this morning at Dusenbury & Sons' jewelry store

—George A. Proctor of the Fowler House, Port Jervis, bought Saturday of [illegible] the livery stable connected with the hotel

—If you intend to learn business [illegible] Horsfall School of Business, 1 South [illegible] and 2 North street, Middletown, N. Y. [illegible]

—Car Inspector Walter Skinner picked up a pocketbook at the Erie depot this morning and returned it to the owner, a lady coming through with [illegible]

—Merrick's Pond, which is situated a mile from Apex Station on the O. and W., has been bought by New York parties who will build a [illegible] house there

—Two carp weighing [illegible] pounds each which were caught by Wesley Dickerson [illegible] swimming about in a tank at Jacob Gunther's

—The deposits in the Delaware National Bank of Delhi during the first two days after it was reopened were over $30,000 and the withdrawals were only about $12,000

—Special sale of [illegible] shoes, sizes 1 to 5, at $1 [illegible] [illegible] & VANS[illegible]

—Geo [illegible] is arranging to give a Democratic dinner at [illegible] cents at the Madison House April 15. The menu will be the same as at the big dinner planned for New York Democrats

—J. Frank Tuthill has exchanged his shuttle boards for a horse owned by Jack Schultz of Pine Bush. The tables were shipped to Pine Bush today and the horse is temporarily [illegible] brewery stables

—The 24th Separate Company Athletic Association will give [illegible] hop to their friends [illegible] Association Wednesday evening, April 19. Admission by card only. The committee are [illegible] and I. H. Robinson

—A tramp who was [illegible] and chasing imaginary [illegible] through the streets was arrested [illegible] Friday evening [illegible] other things in the [illegible] in the morning it was [illegible] was well enough to go his way

—At the regular meeting of Queen Esther Chapter O. E. S. Tuesday evening April 11th at Masonic Hall, R. W. Oscar [illegible] Assistant Grand [illegible] of the State of New York, with his suite, the Worthy Matron of [illegible] Chapter will be present [illegible] are requested to attend [illegible] Masonic hall [illegible]

PERSONAL

—Fred W[illegible] spent Sunday in New York

—Miss [illegible] today

—Miss [illegible] spent Sunday in town

—Joseph Young of New York spent Sunday in town

—Mrs Sylvester [illegible] the home of [illegible] Ward

—Mr and Mrs George [illegible] of Brooklyn are guests of Mr and Mrs George Wallace

—Mr and Mrs W. [illegible] Barber of Elmira are guests of Mr and Mrs I M Stratton

—Theo Reinecke, F. [illegible] Tuthill and [illegible] spent Sunday at Pine Bush

—Bert [illegible] of Norwich, formerly of this city, is in town to attend Mrs Wright's funeral

—Thomas Barney, formerly a [illegible] man and now a West Shore [illegible], is spending a few days in town

—Mrs George [illegible] and her three children, who have been visiting here for the past week, have returned home

—Misses Mary Brockway and Lizzie Stickney went to New York this morning for a few days visit with friends and relatives

—Miss [illegible] College today. Will [illegible] and A. B. Macardle will return tomorrow

—Miss Alice [illegible] of Middletown is a guest of her cousin Miss [illegible] street.—*Norwich Telegraph*

—Mrs Thomas [illegible] started this morning for [illegible] N. Y., to visit her sister, Mrs [illegible] Walker, for a few weeks

—Friends of Mrs [illegible] will regret to learn that she has sustained another paralytic stroke and is lying in a critical condition at the home of her daughter in New York city

—At the city election held in Akron, O., last week Frank H. Thorp, son of the late Dan'l Thorp, [illegible] Crawford, was elected [illegible] for the Fourth Ward. He ran on the Democratic ticket and [illegible] a very flattering majority

—Fred M[illegible], who has conducted optical parlors in this city for several years, left town Saturday evening for Philadelphia where he has accepted a position as refracting optician. M. J. Donovan has been left in charge of his business interests here

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COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

Recent Events and Happenings in Goshen.

THOMAS ARCHER'S SUNDAY IN TOWN

Changes at St. John's Parochial Residence—"Pink" Nolan's Pig Conservatory of Music—Want Pastor Griffin Returned. Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent

—Suddenly as a thunder bolt from a cloudless sky a bad specimen of humanity struck this peaceful burgh Sunday, and left behind him a trail that disrupted and shattered the virtuous Sabbath sanctity that overspread us all. His name was Thomas Archer—at least so they say. In appearance he was a cross between a Texas cow puncher and a Port Jervis poet. He visited several places where the Raines law is not respected and with characteristic western liberality invited all hands to "have something." The invitation was generally accepted with alacrity and in one instance a hanger on responded so hastily that the world's record for a standing broad jump is believed to have been broken. But poor Archer couldn't stand the pace and his load being more than he could bear he was led away to recover from its effects. The poet truly says

Full many a ball at random sent
Finds mark the Archer little meant

—Work was begun this morning on the changes in St. John's parochial residence necessary to convert it into a school. The first work to be done is the erection of the smaller building to be used as a residence by Rev P F McCorry. The work of excavation was started today. The Sunday School room in the church basement will be overhauled and seating [illegible]. It will then be [illegible] room

—Editor Charles Barnum of the Mon[illegible] was at Goshen Saturday

—[illegible] Graham McIntosh [illegible] which has been showing at Music Hall Saturday [illegible] the man [illegible] should go [illegible]. The news [illegible] total of forty eight [illegible] his next [illegible] eighteen [illegible] with [illegible] stage [illegible] without trouble

—At 7 o'clock on Wednesday morning [illegible] will be celebrated at St. John's church

—[illegible] meeting of the Goshen Social and Street Association [illegible] at 8:30 tonight

—[illegible] chorus [illegible] tomorrow [illegible] at 4 o'clock and [illegible] with [illegible] society at 7:45 in the [illegible]

—Mrs [illegible] of Port Jervis [illegible] at the home of her [illegible]

—It is [illegible] the Conservatory [illegible] in this village this week [illegible] will be used for [illegible] quite a large [illegible] their desire [illegible] Conservatory. Instruction [illegible] various kinds of [illegible] will be given. Lessons [illegible] at forty cents each [illegible] from New York [illegible]

—[illegible] has been [illegible] during [illegible] It will be presented at the New York [illegible] Rev A M [illegible]

—Mrs J. [illegible] Downs and her children start [illegible] to visit with her parents [illegible]

—Harry [illegible] of New York who has been [illegible] weeks [illegible] returned [illegible] Sunday

—[illegible] of New York spent Sunday [illegible] at the home of his parents [illegible] street

—[illegible] of Liberty, Sullivan [illegible] brother in law [illegible] street

—[illegible] of Brooklyn and [illegible] New York have been spending a day or two at their homes in this village

—Charles Crosby of Ash Brook, N. J., visited friends in this village, yesterday

—Mr and Mrs H A Horton are both reported to be somewhat better, today although Mrs Horton's condition is still serious

—Special services will be held next Sunday afternoon at the A U M P Church to dedicate the bell recently hung in the new belfry

—Stephen J. DeKay died on April 8 at his home in Hamptonburgh at 4 p m, of dropsy, aged fifty two years. Funeral on Tuesday at residence at 11 a m, Rev Mr Gilmore officiating

—[illegible] Zinn went to Harrisburgh, Pa, on Saturday to visit his sister. He expects to return on Wednesday

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"Two Heads Are Better Than One."

One, however is the portion allotted to the average mortal. If this one aches and will not work properly, it is worse than none. When this condition is present, the stomach is blamed, the kidneys come in for censure and the liver is sure not to escape. As a fact, the blood is solely responsible for the condition of these organs.

Let your one head dwell on this fact, because it is the leading point in life and health. The natural blood purifier and tonic is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It has been "tried" and never "found wanting." *It never disappoints.*

Scrofulous Hip Disease—"My boy Willie had scrofulous hip disease from a baby. Abscesses developed. Months at the hospital with best treatment did no good. They said he would never walk again. He was helpless and wasted away to [illegible] skin and bone. Hood's Sarsaparilla had helped me and I gave it to him [illegible] to my delight at a wonderful change. Abscesses all healed, crutches thrown away. He is now tall and stout, perfectly well and the thanks are all due to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Other mothers with crippled children should know this." MRS EMMA V. DUFF, Walpole, Mass.

Grip—"Was in very bad condition after an attack of grip. Nothing helped me and I almost gave up hope. I am strong and feel better now than in twenty years all because I took Hood's Sarsaparilla which made my blood rich and pure." JOHN O. DUNAWAY, 64 Russell Ave, Indianapolis, Ind.

Scrofulous Humor—"I was in terrible condition from the itching and burning of scrofulous humor. Grew worse under treatment of several doctors. Took Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills. These cured me thoroughly." J. J. LITTLE, Fulton, N. Y.

Pure Blood—"My work was formerly a burden but now it is a pleasure and all because Hood's Sarsaparilla gave me new pure blood. I now have good color and eat well." MRS. ALFRED A. HOWARD, 100 Summer St., [illegible] Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THEY CURE

(not simply relieve)

Indigestion
All liver ailments
Constipation
All stomach troubles
Biliousness
Sick headache

DON'T DIET
Eat what you want and take

Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills.

Do not accept a substitute of any kind

White **wrappers** if constipated, yellow if bowels are loose.
For sale at all druggists 25c and 50c
DR. J A DEANE CO Kingston N. Y.

Just Caught On.

Uncle John (examining the nickel watch he has purchased at an auction) —Yes, I reckon I understand now what the auctioneer meant when he shouted "Sold again!"

Aunt Martha—Why, he meant the watch, didn't he?

Uncle John—No, Martha. He meant me.—Jewelers' Weekly

Draws the Line

"We like the idea of simplified spelling," says the editor of the Jerkins Junction Palladium, "but we don't think we could ever become used to writing it. He wawkt down the fle[illegible] leeving the trax of his [illegible] and mudde[illegible] on the flore. [illegible] marx ar [illegible] yet."—Chicago Tribune

Unchangeable and Everlasting

The whizzing auto [illegible] may come, the [illegible] carriage go
The [illegible] may do the work that horses now must do
But as long as men keep striving on for fortune or for fame
You will find that money always makes the mare go just the same
—Chicago Daily News

CAUSE FOR CHASTISEMENT

Father—James, you know I disapprove very much of your fighting, but I cannot help feeling proud of you for whipping such a big boy as that. What did you whip him for?

Son (indignantly)—Why, he said I looked like you.—Harlem Life

Too Much at Home

There are no friends like the old friends
W[illegible] k[illegible] w[illegible] helr ways a ack
They walk in, take our brand new books
A[illegible] never bring them back
—Chicago Record

Missed the Bargain

Farmer (with wife and two children)—How much fer tickets fer the young un?

Railway Ticket Seller—Between five and twelve half fare.

Farmer—Gosh darn it! Mandy, we'll hev ter wait till ter morrer—it's half past 12 now.—Brooklyn Life

A Mystery Made Clear

"W[illegible] A man with a nose like the color of y[illegible] expects me to believe that he has lived on water for three months!" said the lady at the door.

"You [illegible] sa[illegible]" the tramp, "you see I'm a sailor just out of a [illegible]."—Yonkers Statesman

Ready to Relent

Rev. Mr. Goodley—And do you love your neighbor as yourself?

Mrs. Scrogg—Well, I can't say that I do, but I'd be willing to try if she'd return that last pound of coffee she borrowed from us.—Chicago Record

Matter of Cost

Physician—I don't believe you are carrying out my directions at all. I limited you to one 25-cent cigar a day.

Patient—That's all right, doctor. I smoke five five cent ones.—Boston Traveler

Might Easily Last

Mrs. Flightly—The paper says an old lady down in Maine has some needles which she bought 40 years ago.

Mr. Flightly—That may be, my dear. I don't believe any of your needles are very much worn.—N. Y. Weekly

A Pertinent Inquiry

Newlywed (complacently)—Oh, of course all women have sharp tongues. Every rose has its thorn, you know.

Oldtimer (dryly)—And have you noticed yet how a rose will fade but a thorn won't?—Puck

The Concluding Volleys.

"The war isn't over yet," said Mr. Perbridge to Mr. Perkasie.

"Isn't it?"

"No, the literary warriors are still discharging their magazine guns."

Requires Courage.

"If I am not mistaken," she said, "he is thinking seriously of marriage."

"Very likely," he replied in his abrupt masculine way. "He always was a courageous boy."—Chicago Post

Getting Fresh Air

"Piano playing is said to be healthful."

"Yes, the girl next door drives us all to the parks every Sunday afternoon."—Chicago Record

Hostilities Renewed.

"This edible you have placed before me, madam," said Slowpay to his landlady, "reminds me of a friend of mine who died the other day. He was a high liver."—Harlem Life

His Bad Points.

He—So you cast me off because you think I'm forward?

She—Yes, George, there's nothing modest about you except your salary.

FRENCH REPUBLIC STABLE.

Premier Dupuy Says Agitations Are Only on the Surface.

PARIS, April 10.—The premier, M. Charles Alexandre Dupuy, in the course of an important speech to his constituents yesterday at Le Puy, capital of the department of Haute-Loire, said that the situation both at home and abroad was eminently satisfactory. "The spontaneous election of a stalwart and worthy Republican as president of the republic," he continued, "proves the stability and vitality of the republic and has disconcerted the factions who dreamed of chimerical plebiscites and futile restorations."

He referred approvingly to the recent agreements with Italy and Great Britain and said that France was "now free for industrial and commercial development and a large field of colonizing." Reverting to home affairs he said:

"The agitations are only on the surface. Beneath are calm industry and security. The end of the Dreyfus affair appears to be in sight, and the complication will be unraveled by the court of cassation, whose judgment will be acknowledged by all.

"If certain people think otherwise let us leave them to their despicable folly and for ourselves continue to look toward the army, full of gratitude and confidence."

Antitrust League Formed.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.—The National Antitrust league has been formed here. It proposes to fight the combines by boycotting all the goods which they place on the market and by inducing the consumers to use only the goods manufactured by independent factories. Headquarters have been established in the Lincoln Trust building. H. A. Thompson is president and James McClure treasurer. The league claims a city membership of 10,000 and a country membership of 25,000 and hopes to destroy all trusts in a few years.

Roosevelt Warmly Welcomed.

CHICAGO, April 10.—The train which brought the New York governor to Chicago at 4 o'clock last evening was met at the suburban station of Englewood by an enthusiastic crowd. The governor was forced to come to the platform of his car and say a few words. From the moment Governor Roosevelt left his car at the Lake Shore station, where he was met by an escort of eight Rough Riders, to the doors of his hotel he was surrounded and followed by crowds, who cheered him every time he moved.

Grave Charges Against Catholics.

LONDON, April 10.—The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Shanghai: "An American Protestant missionary at Han Kau, a Chinese treaty port on the Yang tse Kiang, makes sensational allegations against the Roman Catholics of burning Protestant chapels and torturing Protestants. He gives the name of a priest concerned and pictures a reign of terror in certain districts."

A Bicyclist Stricken.

WATERBURY, Conn., April 10.—Daniel L. Daly, aged 4[illegible], son of M. J. Daly, a prominent [illegible] man, was stricken with heart failure [illegible] over [illegible] yesterday afternoon and [illegible] almost instantly. He was trying to [illegible] several scorchers when stricken.

MARRIED.

CASE—[illegible]—At [illegible] April 8th, by Rev George S. Hall, [illegible] Case of [illegible] and Mabel [illegible]

DIED.

EVERETT.—At his home on Orchard street in this city, April 8th, Wil[illegible] Harvey Everett, aged eighty seven [illegible] three months [illegible] days.
Funeral private.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

Will cure Croup without fail
The best remedy for whooping-cough. Doses small. Price 25 cts. at druggists.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

FULL quart bottles of best Ammonia 10c. [illegible]YTON'S

LAWN SEED, our own mixture, free from weeds, not a cheap [illegible] 20c a pound. [illegible] PHARMACY, 1 Franklin Square, Main and West Erie Sts.

HEADQUARTERS [illegible]. Where? At Crosby's. We keep the [illegible] brand of German [illegible] Shetland [illegible] and Spanish Yarns, also a full assortment of embroidery silks.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.* The Kind You Have Always Bought

WE [illegible] Blankets so they retain all the natural fluffy softness. Our charge is [illegible]. Laundry office 14 North street. 1t GEORGE DORRANCE, Prop.

ANOTHER Invoice of Battenburg Patterns, braids, rings and thread at CROSBY'S. A fine line of handkerchiefs. Ask to see the 10 and 15c quality embroidered handkerchiefs. No. 19 West Main street

FOUND—Irish Setter Dog. Enquire W. A. [illegible] 8 Monhagen avenue. 1t

AUCTION on Wednesday. The house and lot No [illegible] Monhagen avenue near Mulberry street will be offered for sale Wednesday, April 12th at 2 p m sharp, at the Holding House. This property can be had on easy terms. Shop and barn on premises suitable for business [illegible] and examine. Particulars of P. E. KAUFMAN, Auctioneer, 11 Mill street. 21d3t

TO LET—Two flats West Main and Henry streets, all improvements. Lower [illegible] 24d3t THOS WATTS, 17 East Main street

HOMESTEAD Building and Loan Association. Regular meeting for collection of dues Monday and Tuesday evenings. No dues will be received on Thursday evening. 2 d2t H. J. LEONARD, Secretary

FOR SALE—A good milk truck, 65 feet of fence iron rails pickets stone bottom posts, good new peddling wagon, several good as new stoves and many other articles at about your own price. 99d a f McSHANE, Undertakers, Cottage St.

WANTED. Active and trusted persons to work for us locally. Liberal salary guaranteed. Good chance for advancement. No capital required. For full information address SHEPP COMPANY, 1031–1033 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. 75d12mAp10

NOTICE—I can sole and heel your shoes finer than any other shoemaker in town. I use only selected stock and am noted for my ability and cheapness. Men's all wax soled from 50c up, also all kinds rubber goods repaired. GEO MARKS, King street, opposite Argus office. 86d1mApr7

MAGI KIDNEY PILLS—For kidney and bladder diseases. Cleanse the kidneys, allowing them to purify the blood—50 pills 25c. CHAMBERS' Pharmacy, 57 North St. near postoffice

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.* The Kind You Have Always Bought

TO LET—Flat of five nice rooms, all conveniences. Price very cheap. Inquire of C. HERFORD CLARKE, Agent, No 109-113 North St. d22tf

FOR RENT—Lower rooms 7 Oak street. Inquire on premises. 22d3t

A Grand Rapids Carpet Sweeper. Thirty days trial on it if you like. Worth $2.25, our price $1.57. DAYTON'S

WILL Exchange city residence for small farm near Middletown. Address EXCHANGE, Box 211, Middletown

EDWIN S MERRILL, Attorney at Law, Rooms 8 and 9 Times Building. Specialty of loans on real estate

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We Carry a Larger Stock Than Ever This Spring.

We are encouraged to do so by the large and growing business we have built up in the two years since we came here. We shall stick to our same plan of selling for cash only and at the same low prices that have been one of the great attractions at this store.

MRS. BUSH, NO. 144 NORTH STREET.

BIG STOCK. BIG STORE.

With our enlarged store we have over double the size store room of any clothing store in this city, showing the largest stock and greatest variety. We avoid all misrepresentation in our advs to gain trade as is practiced by some who make false and misleading statements. We have added a finer line of Clothing, showing sizes to short stout men and long slim men.

SPRING OVERCOATS.

We have had such a large sale of Spring Overcoats that we had to replenish our stock this week. We show new shades in Coverts and Herring Bone effects for men and boys.
Nobby Men's Overcoats $4, $4.98, $6.98, $7.50.
Boys' Overcoats $2.75 and $3.98 4 to 15 size.
We want you to see our new store and new stock.

MORRIS B. WOLF, 10 NORTH STREET, BLUE FRONT STORE. ONE PRICE CLOTHIER, HATTER AND FURNISHER.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

TO LET—Five rooms second floor. Enquire at 7 Myrtle avenue. 15dtf

MAGIC Furniture Polish—Cleanses and restores gloss to furniture, pianos, etc. Instantly removes [illegible] 15 and 25 cents. Only at CHAMBERS' Pharmacy near post office

TO introduce them [illegible] garden and flower seed strictly new 2 packets 5c at DAYTON'S

FOR SALE—A very fine horse six years old, bright bay color, good traveler, not afraid of trolley, weight thirteen hundred pounds. 2t tf Apply 24 [illegible]

HOUSEHOLD Ammonia for housecleaning. Large bottle full strength 7 cents at CHAMBERS' Pharmacy, 57 North St. near postoffice

TO LET—Six rooms second floor, all conveniences, also seven [illegible] other parts of houses. 134tf PATRICK DOUGHERTY, 84 E. Main St.

AUSTIN'S DYE HOUSE, 93 Wickham avenue. Ladies dresses and sacks, gents suits and overcoats cleaned, dyed and pressed

TO LET—Very desirable flat, six rooms and bath room, modern conveniences, 22 Wickham avenue, opposite [illegible]. 90dtf MRS. J. D. OSTERHOUT

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.* The Kind You Have Always Bought

WANTED—Case of bad health that R-I-P-A-N-S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Ripans Chemical Co., New York, for 10 samples and 1,000 testimonials. 99d1yJly14 99

TO LET—Flat No 137 East Main street corner Railroad avenue, over [illegible] grocery. Modern improvements. Also five pleasant rooms 203 East Main street, corner Irwin avenue. Inquire of JOHN CUMMINGS, corner Fulton street and East avenue. 2dtf

WM. OTTO BENDER has removed his place of business from East Main street to the Cash Building occupied by Geo. Shannon, the picture frame dealer. Awnings, upholstering, repairing of furniture solicited. Specifications cheerfully given. [illegible] trade will be given my special attention. 17d3yl Factory and Residence 15 Knapp Ave

COAL Still at Reduced Prices. Wagon [illegible] for [illegible] remarkable low prices. Dairy Feed. Full assortment [illegible] VANFLEETS

A COTTAGE OF SEVEN ROOMS, WITH ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS.
A CODDINGTON, EMPIRE BLOCK
41d Jan 20 1900

THE FAIR.

We are always looking ahead for the benefit of our customers. Anybody can offer you damaged goods at low price, but we go in the market of the world six months ahead and get made up such goods as we know people will want when the time comes for them, and by so doing we are able to sell goods at a

VERY LOW PRICE.

We have just imported a large line of

Chinese Mattings

which we have put on sale in our curtain department at 10c per yard

Window Curtains

with Meridian Spring Fixtures complete 8c

FLOOR OIL CLOTH

No cheap trash, but Potter's goods 12c

Curtain Poles, Cherry or Oak, with fixtures 10c

Brass Sash Rods that will fit any window 5

Do not fail to visit our store when in the city. Our stock is complete in all departments and our prices for good goods always the lowest. We expect these goods will go fast at these prices. Every housekeeper must have these goods and will buy them on sight.

THE SYNDICATE FAIR STORE,

No. 8 East Main St., Middletown.

We Buy for Cash
We Sell Cheap

HART DAVIS,

No. 45 North Street, Middletown.

SPECIAL SALE WRAPPERS
98C, $1 19, $1 48.

Continuation of our Spring Sale. Space will not allow of our cataloguing our immense stock, so we content ourselves by giving you pointers.

THREE GREAT BARGAINS.

SATIN DUCHESS
21 inch black satin duchess, all pure silk, 75c, for shirt waists, separate skirts or whole suits, $1 00, $1 25, $1 50 yard

SILK AND MOHAIR CREPON
42 inch black English crepon sold by a great many stores at $1 50. While this lot lasts $1 00 yard

SILK FINISHED BRILLIANTINE
46 inch silk finished pure mohair brilliantine. Best values ever shown by any firm 50c, 69c and 89c yd

THREE EXCELLENT VALUES.

SUMMER CORSETS
400 summer 50c corsets made with three zones, extra well stayed. Buy while you can get your size, while they last 39c

LADIES RIBBED VESTS
720 ladies medium weight ribbed vests with short sleeves, made from the best Maco yarn. A decided bargain—15c each or 2 for 25

EXTRA SIZED VESTS
480 ladies medium weight extra sized vests, sleeveless or with short sleeves. You will wonder how they can ever knit them at the price, size 7, 8, 9, 15c each

THREE UNEQUALLED PRICES.

LADIES NIGHT GOWNS
25 doz ladies muslin and cambric gowns. The cloth and trimmings are worth more than we ask for the whole garment. 49c, 69c, 89c and 98c

CORSET COVERS
40 doz corset covers for this special sale, all handsomely trimmed, made either plain or blouse fronts, three special lots at 25c, 39, 48c

WHITE UNDERSKIRTS
15 doz ladies cambric and muslin white skirts, all umbrella shape, trimmed with wide embroidery and insertion, handsomely tucked, three great bargains 98c, $1 39, $1 48

THREE ATTRACTIVE QUOTATIONS.

UMBRELLAS
26 inch best Gloria silk, steel rods, paragon frame, in a great variety of handles, every one warranted, real value from $1.25 to $2.00, as long as they last $1 00

BLACK PETTICOATS
Another lot of our celebrated black petticoats of extra full and warranted to hold their shape until worn out, bound with corset bone, 98c to $4 68.

SHORT C. B. CORSETS
12 doz of the celebrated C. B. French shape, $1 00 short corsets. Comes in white and drab, size 19 to 26, for a short time we will sell them at 79c.

THREE TRADE INCREASERS.

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES
Best bleached sheets 45c, 49c, 44c. Best pillow cases 10c, 12c, 14c, 9 4 bleached muslin 15c yd. The way the cotton market is the above prices are very low

WHITE BED SPREADS
300 white bed spreads, 10 4, 11 4, 12 4, all ready hemmed, ready for use, 49c, 75, $1 19. If you need any our advice is to buy now

TOWELS
A pure linen damask towel hemstitched, good size, 25c. A full bleached bath towel, size 20x40, 15c or 2 for 25c. An extra heavy unbleached bath towel, size 21x42 10c

THREE DESIRABLE LOTS.

ANOTHER TOWEL BARGAIN
50 doz hemmed huck towels, size 20x40. This is our second fifty doz lot or 1,200 of this one lot so far this year and the last we can get. While they last 15c each

NAPKINS
25 doz pure linen napkins, 20x21, $1 00 doz. 20 doz extra size Union linen napkins $1 25 doz. 15 doz pure linen extra size dinner napkins $2 50 doz

TABLE LINEN
5 pieces of this lot, 66 inches wide, all fine linen, worth at wholesale 57½c yd, full bleached. A good chance for summer boarding housekeepers to stock up with. As long as they last 50c yd.

THREE WONDERFUL OFFERINGS.

LADIES' HOSE
1,200 pairs ladies' hose of our own importation in real Lisle, plain black with embroidered fronts, plain black with fancy stripes, polka dots in tans, black and navy blues, black with lace fronts. No such values shown by any firm. 25c, 29c, 39c, 48c pr

MEN'S HOSE
420 pairs men's black full regular made hose, cost $1 75 per dozen in a regular way, as long as they last 15c pr. 720 prs men's mixed sox, a good quality 5c pr

WHITE RIBBED VESTS
40 doz ladies' white ribbed vests trimmed with fancy colored lace and silk ribbon on the neck. All kinds and styles in the lot, value from 15 to 25c each, some are sold as seconds. As long as they last, and they won't last long, 15c.

THREE GREAT SURPRISES.

BLACK SERGE
40 inch all wool black serge worth 40c in any store. We have just five pieces to sell at this price—29c yd. 5 pcs storm serge in blk and navy blue, 42 inches wide, 48c yd.

GINGHAM
50 pieces of the latest corded effects in fine ginghams, just as pretty as the corded silks popular just now, in just the same colorings, as long as they last 10c yd

PERCALES
25 pieces fine percales, in light and dark shades. All the newest and dainty colors for children's wear and ladies' shirt waists. No trash sold here, nothing but the best goods—8, 10, 12½c a yd

THREE PEERLESS ATTRACTIONS.

LACE CURTAINS
100 pair ecru Nottingham lace curtains 3 yards long. Compare them with anything in the city at $1. As long as they last 75c pair.

LACE CURTAINS
150 pair Nottingham lace curtains 3½ yards long. Three different styles in the newest patterns, all decided bargains 98c, $1 68 pr

LACE CURTAINS
12 different styles of Brussels net curtains, all new, dainty effects, 3½ yards long. The best values that any store can show at the price—$1.98, $2.48, $2.98, $3 48 a pair

HART DAVIS, 45 North Street.